

S.S. "ST. KENNETH"

Dimensions:- 185' x 28.5' x 13'
Class:- 100A1
Owners:- Messrs. T. Heiton & Co.

The stern frame of this vessel has been damaged, the back post being carried away from below the upper rudder gudgeon to the propeller post, and Messrs. Wallace, representing the Owners, and Coleman, representing the Dublin Dockyard, where the repair is to be carried out, called at this office and handed in a plan shewing the proposed method of effecting a permanent repair.

A new sole piece has been obtained which will be electrically welded to the existing propeller post, the sole piece being reinforced by two 9" x 3 1/2" x 3 1/2" channels with the 9" web fitted vertically. The rudder will be altered into a double plate rudder with the side plates 3/4" in thickness and securely attached to the existing arms. To support the side plates forward of the arms, channel stiffeners will be arranged. These proposals have been examined, and as requested by Mr. Wallace, it is submitted that, provided the welding of the sole piece be carried out and reinforcing channels fitted to the Surveyors' satisfaction, and a steel liner be fitted to the lower pintle, the proposals will be approved, provided the Owners' consent be obtained.

The plan handed in by the above gentlemen should also be forwarded to the Belfast Surveyors.

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